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DRAFT INTERIM ACTION CONFIRMATION REPORT, SITE 39A, HA-80, AND HA-85,
EAST GARRISON RANGES, FORMER FORT ORD, CALIFORNIA

Dear Ms. Youngblood:

The Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) has reviewed the "*Draft Interim Action Confirmation Report, Site 39A, HA-80 and HA-85, East Garrison Ranges (Confirmation Report), Former Fort Ord, California, Former Fort Ord, California*" dated March 9, 2006. The document was prepared by Shaw Environmental, Inc. for the United States Department of the Army, Corps of Engineers, Sacramento.

The Confirmation Report presents confirmation sample results from the Interim Action (IA) completed in Site 39A Historical Area (HAs) HA-80 and HA-85, which were two small arms ranges within the Installation Restoration Program (IRP) Site 39A. Site 39A is located in the northeastern part of former Fort Ord and the excavations were located southwest of the intersection of Watkins Gate and Barloy Canyon Roads. The IA was conducted in accordance with the following documents:

1. *Interim Action Record of Decision, Contaminated Surface Soil Remediation, Former Fort Ord, California* dated June 23, 1994
2. *Approval Memorandum, Proposed Interim Action Excavation IA Area HA-80 and HA-85 Site 39A, East Garrison Ranges* dated April 6, 2005 approved by DTSC on May 1, 2005.

DTSC has reviewed the Confirmation Report, which indicates that approximately 600 cubic yards was excavated from HA-80 approximately 300 cubic yards was removed from HA-85 and all confirmation sample results were below the respective targeted

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cleanup concentrations for lead, antimony and copper. The excavated soil was disposed of at Kettleman Hills Hazardous Waste Facility.

DTSC concurs that remedial activities are complete and no further action (NFA) is required for Site 39A HA-80 and HA-85 and the sites are approved for unrestricted use.

Please be advised that this NFA determination is based on information available to DTSC at this time. DTSC reserves the right to address any appropriate environmental or human health related issues should additional information concerning the environmental condition of subject property become available in the future.

Please note that should this property be considered for proposed acquisition and/or construction of school properties utilizing State funding, a separate environmental review process in compliance with California Education Code 12710 et seq. will need to be conducted and approved by DTSC.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Ms. Susan Goss, Remedial Project Manager, at (916) 255-6403 or via e-mail at sgoss@dtsc.ca.gov.

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